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NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$500.00 [37 CFR §41.20(b)(1).

Applicant(s) hereby petition for following extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action.

	SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY	
	Rate	Add'l Fee		Rate	Add'l Fee
Extension for Response within FIRST month	x \$60 = \$		OR	x \$120 = \$	\$120.00
Extension for Response within SECOND month	x \$225 = \$		OR	x \$450 = \$	
Extension for Response within THIRD month	x \$510 = \$		OR	x \$1020 = \$	
Extension for Response within FOURTH month	x \$795 = \$		OR	x \$1590 = \$	
Extension for Response within FIFTH month	x \$1080 = \$		OR	x \$2160 = \$	

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[\$500.00 Notice of Appeal: \$120.00 Extension of Time Fee.]

Application No.: 09/916,528 Docket No.: EMCCP076 Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0685. (EMCCP076).

OTHER: Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review and Remarks in Support of Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review.

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